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Validation of Some New Combinations MME. TARDIEU-BLOT

Article 32 of the International Code of Botanical Nomenclature (1956 edition) specifies that "A new transfer or combination published on or after 1 Jan. 1953 is not validly published unless the basionym (namebringing or epithet-bringing synonym) is clearly indicated with a full reference to its author and original publication." Since 1953 I have proposed several new combinations without having properly cited the basionyms, in accordance with the above Rule. The present paper citing the basionyms will serve to validate these combinations.

ASPLENIUM AFFINE Swartz var. Gilpinae (Baker) Tard., comb. nov. (Tardieu, in Mém. Inst. Sci. Madagascar, Sér. B, 6: 219. 1955; op. cit. 7: 48. 1956, sine basion.)

Asplenium Gilpinae Baker, Journ. Linn. Soc. [London] 16: 200. 1877.

ASPLENIUM HERPETOPTERIS Baker var. acutipinnatum (Bonap.) Tard., comb nov. (Tardieu, in Mém. Inst. Sci. Madagascar, Sér. B, 7: 50. 1956, sine basion.)

Asplenium acutipinnatum Bonap., Not. Pterid 4: 69. 1917 (sphalm. acutipinnata)

ASPLENIUM HERPETOPTERIS Baker var. masoulae (Bonap.) Tard., comb. nov. (Tardieu, op. cit. 50, sine basion.)

Asplenium masoulae Bonap., Not. Pterid. 10: 182. 1920. ASPLENIUM PELLUCIDUM Lamarck var. dareifolium (Bory) Tard., comb. nov. (Tardieu, loc. cit., sine basion.)

Asplenium dareifolium Bory ex Willd. Sp. Plant. 5: 335. 1810.
ASPLENIUM VIVIPARUM (L.f.) Presl var. daucifolium (Lamarck)
Tard., comb. nov. (Tardieu, op. cit. 47, sine basion.)
Asplenium daucifolium Lamarck, Encycl. Meth. 2: 310. 1786.
ASPLENIUM VIVIPARUM (L.f.) Presl var. inaequale (Willd.) Tard., comb. nov. (Tardieu, loc. cit. 48, sine basion.)

Darea inaequalis Willd., Sp. Plant. 5: 298. 1810. ASPLENIUM VIVIPARUM (L.f.) Presl var. lineatum (Swartz) Tard., comb. nov. (Tardieu, op. cit. 47, sine basion.)

Asplenium lineatum Swartz, Journ. Bot. Schrader 1800²: 51, 1801.